

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For:

INK CARTRIDGE FOR USE WITH RECORDING APPARATUS AND INK JET

RECORDING APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2002, please amend the above-TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800 identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2, 3 and 5 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims:

1. (Amended) An ink cartridge for use with a recording apparatus, which comprises an ink pack formed from flexible material and sealingly storing ink therein, and a cartridge case housing the ink pack and formed hermetically, and which is so constructed that pressurized air is introduced into the case in a mounted state to the recording apparatus, wherein

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